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17 December 1951

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MEMORANDUM FOR: Acting Chief, Finance Division

SUBJECT : Separation Allowances for Military Personnel
Re: Memorandum from Finance Division to
Deputy Comptroller dated 26 October 1951.

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1. This office is of the opinion that the statement of benefits under [] payable to military personnel, is probably broad enough to include payment of a separation allowance. However, the payment appears to be a duplication of military allowances, which are similar in nature, and would probably subject this Agency to criticism sooner or later.

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2. Mr. [] Office of Management, advises us that at the time the Task Force drafted this regulation, the problem of separation allowances was not considered, but that had it been considered, it is probable that it would have been excluded from the civilian allowances for which military personnel are eligible.

3. Mr. Houston states that prior to the adoption of Section 6.7 informal discussions were held with representatives of [] and it was agreed that separation allowances for military personnel would be a duplication of military allowances and hence should not be granted under this section.

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4. We recommend that this regulation be considered by the DD/A before authorizing such an allowance.

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Office of General Counsel

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Enclosure:

Memo dtd 26 Oct to OComp.
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